NOAA Leadership Competencies Development Program

LCDP DEVELOPMENTAL ASSIGNMENT FORM

(Data provided will be loaded on the LCDP website to be used by the program participants.)

Details of Developmental Assignment

1. **Title of Assignment**: IT System Designer

2. **Level of Responsibility** (e.g., GS13, GS14, SES or equivalent pay band): ZP-IV / GS 13-14

3. **Host Office** (if in NOAA, start with Line/Corporate Office down to the lowest level - e.g., Division or Branch): NESDIS / NCDC / SSD (Support Services Division)

4. **Timeframe** (expected start date, duration, any known time dependencies): May – Nov 2008

5. **Assignment Description** (include goals/objectives/expected outcomes): Lead cross-center effort to create efficient/effective IT data center design accommodating addition of new/evolving programs such as CLASS, Scientific Data Stewardship of Satellite Climate Data Records, National Climate Model Portal—Climate Model Data Records. Expected outcome is 5-year data center IT infrastructure evolution plan.

6. **Potential Benefit to LCDP Participant** (e.g., leadership competencies/skills to be used - see list of OPM leadership competencies at www.opm.gov/ses/define.html): Participant would employ IT system design skills to advance competencies of leading change using creativity, innovation, vision, and strategic thinking. Will also gain experience in problem solving and building coalitions.

7. **Any other considerations, special requirements or comments**: None.

8. **Assignment Supervisor** (name, position): David Urbanski, Support Services Division Chief

9. **Assignment Contact Person** (name and email address): Karen Owen (Karen.Owen@noaa.gov)

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Thank you!